

## ESCAPE FROM KALDOR pt THREE

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MAJOR BARCLETTE and SARGENT PALMER climb into an army jeep and pull out into the highway, then head towards California. When they're parallel with the grand canyon they pull onto a desert road and drive past MOUNT RUSHMORE, tipping their hat to George Washington and Benjamin Franklin, then stop at the Mojave desert installation.

The twin vertical 8 foot arcs are activated by sergeant Arnold who arrived in his June buggy earlier with his wife Alicia.

WEST, JOHNSON and McBRIDE Walk out of the dimension gate. Onto the wide Plateau and are greeted by BARCLETTE and PALMER.

SAGENT PALMER                      We're going to drive you to the Gulf of Mexico.

MAJOR BARCLETTE                Where there's a submarine waiting to take you under the Atlantic to Newhaven in ENGLAND.

MAJOR BARCLETTE                You'll receive instructions from Captain Byron Henry.

SARGENT PALMER                At NEWHAVEN you'll be met by Corporal Green of Zebra Squad Who'll escort you to ZEBRA SQUAD headquarters at Battersea Power Station?

MAJOR BARCLETTE                You'll receive a full induction from Captain Chambers on the intricacies of becoming a military officer.

SAGENT PALMER                      He will then enrol you at the Sandhurst. Police training college.

MAJOR BARCLETTE                And you'll get lessons in driving a PERPETUAL MOTION MACHINE,

CALEB WEST                        A WHAT

SARGENT PALMER                It's what we call a modern automobile in this country, the BRITS call them MOTOR CARS.



Three weeks later, Corporal Green Turns into Battersea Power Station and keys in his ID on ENTRY CODEC and drives along a loose gravel car park, stopping in front of Zebra Squad headquarters .

McBRIDE, WEST ,AND JOHNSON step up and walk through the double doors and enter reception, where Zebra Squad officers are milling around a vending machine.

SARGENT SHOESTRING     Dinsdale Used to play bass guitar for us since we reorganized the band HARPER  
Once our managers killed his chick.

SARGENT SHOESTRING     We reorganised the band after the Mötley Crüe tour of 1969?

CORPORAL GREEN             The traditional snack enthusiasts are talking

They follow Corporal Green along the Red and White tiled corridor past.Interview rooms to the right and stop outside an observation window.

CORPORAL GREEN             You're just in time to witness the second.Birth of a human.male .

CALEB WEST                  I've never seen that before .

HARPER                        WINK WINK

From the common room the captain of Zebra squad Doctor Rothschild and COMMANDER MAXELL  
Resplendent in his KALDOR POLICE uniform.,join them at the Observation gallery.

COMMANDER MAXELL        Yes, yes, you have a good team.

CAPTAIN CHAMBERS         This child has been in the incubator for nine months .

COMMANDER MAXELL        You realize that artificial births in incubators are banned by the GALACTIC  
FEDERATION .

ELGIN                        Well, we found an incubator and genetic banks in ark ship intrepid , that crash landed on  
MOUNT ARARAT over 3 thousand years ago, and had to recreate the method.

DR ROTHCHILD              That's what inspired you , though I take your point,

COMMANDER MAXELL        `It's patently obvious that your earth medical authorities have also prohibited  
these experiments .

PETER ELGIN                Or we'd be up to our armpits in new age children,

CAPTAIN CHAMBERS         DEDICATED, AMBITIOUS, AND HIGHLY MOTIVATED., I could use these  
children in ZEBRA SQUAD .

DR ROTHCHILD              Born in an artificial incubator, embryo donors were students at Leeds University.  
They see a baby come out of a hatch in the baby blue vinyl silk wall and move along a conveyor belt onto an  
exercise mat full of raisins, sultanas and dried apricots.

DR ROTHCHILD              This baby will live on dried fruit for two days.

PETER ELGIN                And then I'll take him home.

I bought these Wicker baskets at a farmers market.And I can transfer.The children are there from the birthing  
chamber.And won't have to touch them all year round.,

You mean you can feed them in the Wicker basket and change them?

SARAH DUNLOP              Put a new liner in every day and change the child in the normal way.,

FIONA PLUMPTON            If I go on a bus, the bucket fits underneath the stairwell to the upper deck .  
And the frame folds up and can be placed in a rack next to it.

PETER ELGIN                Once global market the pram. I had CLICKNALOGIC INDUSTRIES.Build the fold  
up frame.For the Wicker baskets I bought in bulk.From a farmer's market, thinking I can have.Colin Sullivan  
here.in the wicker basket for a whole year before i have to touch him .

SARAH DUNLOP              Peter, look at Damien.



anyway

Captain Chambers and Commander Maxell walked from the main building to Unit 2. Just as an Army Jeep stops outside, followed by an army van. ZEBRA SQUAD soldiers start hurding captives, with a group of people in chefs uniforms leave unit 2 and climb into the army van.

CAPTAIN CHAMBERS Another batch of RUTONS. Posing as chefs in LONDON restaurants.

COMMANDER MAXELL And they were picked up on detectors when they entered a fast food restaurant. ?chefs

CAPTAIN CHAMBERS The manager locked the doors and called us. And we hightailed it to Lambeth. And found them on the Brighton Rd KFC.

COMMANDER MAXELL Then you want me to take them back to Kaldor?

CAPTAIN CHAMBERS No we got a better plan. They'll be taken to the new Olympus Mars AND REGRESSED back into their natural state.

CAPTAIN CHAMBERS GIANT SQUID FROM THE SAND POOLS OF NIMBUS 3

COMMANDER MAXELL And then OLYMPUS MARS will use a BIO-MORPHIC TRANSITION METHOD.

CAPTAIN CHAMBERS Perfected by HANS ZAROV on the FAROE ISLANDS.

COMMANDER MAXELL Using the ZAROV biomorphic transition system into SESCO WOMEN, in belly dancers costume.

CAPTAIN CHAMBERS Then they'll go back with TANK ZOR, president of ARCADIA.

MAXELL ALGIE and STEVENS are escorting them to OLYMPUS MARS and I'm going back to KALDOR. It seems that the news agencies are telling us that Zone 5 has been turned into a maximum security penitentiary.

An army Jeep turns into Battersea Power Station. And drives up the loose car park stopping outside unit 2 and its passengers disembark and join ZEBRA SQUAD. Adjudicators ALGIE and STEVENS climb out and join ZEBRA SQUAD as commander, MAXELL gets into the front passenger seat next to Sergeant Palmer, who guns the engine.

Adjudicators ALGIE and STEPHAN climb into the back of the van and signal for the driver to move off.



ADJUDICATOR ALGIE      You're going to be taken to tower bridge where you'll alight the black Prince submarine for a trip over the Atlantic to the gulf of Mexico before being taken to the Mojave desert and off planet via the dimension gate .

ADJUDICATOR STEVENS    What we want to know is why you try to infiltrate human society in the first place .

FONZIE                      Well you might see we've all got chefs uniforms on and we've just enrolled in a high class restaurant, after touching down in survival pods from a SPACE RAIDER ship .

ADJUDICATOR ALGIE      Are you telling us that your spacer ship on the moon is lifting off and firing escape pods for a soft landing in lakes and rivers in locations density populated by humans .

FONZIE                      That's right .

LUDKA                      We of the SPACE RAIDERS have decided that you kill too many animals and we want to encourage you to build more fish farms .

ADJUDICATOR ALGIE      Fish farms

LUDKA                      Build fish farms in people's back gardeners and then take all the fish to a canary and let the government can it for you and you and split the profits .

FONZIE                      It'd be a very lucrative business if you can do it.

ADJUDICATOR ALGIE      I'd like to point out that infiltrating human societies is not the way to go about it .

STEVENS                    Add it to that from here you can spread throughout the entire galaxy which is why we went to NIMBUS 3 in the first place .

ADJUDICATOR ALGIE      Our main problem is now you're mimicking humans. We got nowhere to leave you and you represented clearance present danger to the human race .

STEVENS                    So we've decided to send you through the DIMENSION GATE to our new colony on OLYMPUS MARS where you'll be transformed into stable female hybrids who can't attack humans .

ADJUDICATOR ALGIE      TANK ZOR, king of ARCADIA has accepted you .

STEVENS                    You'll have to turn into one of his sesca women in belly dancer costume for the pleasure of his Viking on ARCADIA .

ADJUDICATOR ALGIE      You'll have to argue that out with TANK ZOR of ARCADIA .

The army jeep drives towards tower bridge and parks up at the bank of the THEMES , then escorted down the gangplank next to HMS Belfast and on onto the deck of the black Prince submarine .

where they met by captain Byron Henry and his offices in blue boiler suits taking in at the waist with elite sleeves rolled up and then down a vertical shaft near the main stout the stack into the bells of the ship Mr piccolo dive to periscope depth Apollo course out of the Thames towards the gulf of Mexico And I must be getting back to KALDOR. It seems that without my reassuring presence the citizens will uprise like they did before .

Back at ZEBRA SQUAD hq AT battersea power station the civilians, KALDOR CITIZENS, and GLOBAL EXECUTIVES are preparing to leave the DELIVERY SUITE .

They observe as the baby trundles along a conveyor belt onto an exercise mat piled high with Raisins sultanas and dried apricots, and awakens .

fFIONA PLUMPTON pushes a pram along the observation window and uses the ENTRY CODEC to open the sliding door to the birthing chamber ,pushing the pram in ,

eELGIN I thought I'd keep him in the pram for a year till i can train him to walk, and take him on walks in the country,

DR ROTHCHILD No PETER, you have to exercise him every evening .

ELGIN OK but they're just as versatile, and the child can stay in the Wicker basket till the evening .

sSARAH DUNLOP If we have to take public transport the frame folds up and can go in a rack next to the Wicker basket underneath the flight of stairs to top deck of bus. .

FIONA PLUMPTON You're effectively saying it's more economic than the modern pushchair.

PETER ELGIN Yes, exactly, with the added bonus that it takes a lot less energy to look after the child.Much easier on the parents.

CORPORAL GREEN Well, how are you finding it, Sarah?

SARAH DUNLOP Oh my, Damien's no problem at all.I can, and I can always ask Harry to take him.

PETER ELGIN I'll take Colin Sullivan to my semi in Blackpool.And if you'd like to come with me HAMED .

Elgin goes into the birthing chamber with Fiona Plumpton and they scoops COLIN SULLIVAN off the dried fruit., RAISONS, SULTANAS, and DRIED APRICOTS, and place him in the Wicker basket then out into the corridor, placing him on the Chrome frame

The whole party.Walks out into the afternoon.And get into Fiona's Porsche Yellow Porsche.



PETER puts the wicker crib in the hatch and folds up the chrome frame next to it, then climbs into the front passenger seat .

WEST, JOHNSON ,AND McBRIDE climb into the back seats and FIONA guns the engine and drives out of ZEBRA SQUAD HQ

So you're coming back with me to Blackpool until you're enrolled in Sandhurst.Police College.

CALEB WEST. Yeah, that's the plan.As long as I can speak to my uncle Silas and my man in Kaldor City.

CALEB WEST Maybe I'd do a civilian job first.,My uncle Silas was a window cleaner on KALDOR so I'm experienced with a chamois leather.

STEVE VJOHNSON I'll clean the windows for your friends in BLACKPOOL before enrolling in SANDHURST ELGIN .

CALEB WEST And i just have to get behind the wheel of your PERPETUAL MOTION MACHINE a what?

PHIONA PLUMPTON A MOTOR >

They climb into FIONA PLUMPTONS PORCHE and she guns the engine and drives out of ZEBRA SQUAD hq at BATTERSEA POWER STATION and programmes her sat nav for BLACKPOOL .